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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Application of: )

Marietta, Michael S. )

Application Ser. No. 10/662,158 )

Filed: September 12, 2003 )

FIREWORKS ARTILLERY SHELL )

Group Art Unit: 3641

Examiner: Behrend, Harvey E..

Hon. Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

**RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT AND AMENDMENT**

In response to the Office Action dated April 26, 2004, applicant elects to prosecute those claims corresponding to Group I (claims 1-7), without traverse and requests amendment of the application as follows.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins at page 2 of this Response.

**Remarks** in connection with this Response begin at page 5 of this paper.

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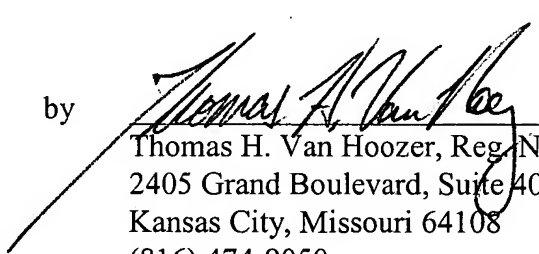
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